They'll Do It Every Time

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#### Daily Bread

By Rev. A. Purnell Bailey

And God gave him another heart! A psychologist, late in life, looked back over rivears of disappointment he had known, and wrote these significant words:

\*1: \$45 "When I graduated from college, I remember If the big, grey-haired, soft-spoken professor of Greek, who handed us our diplomas and said, 'Young ladies -and gentlemen, it is not possible for everyone to have a great intellect; but it is possible for everyone to have a great heart.

"That is the only thing I remember from all the claborate commencement ceremonies," the psychologist continued, "And many times when I have felt hopelessly defeated, this has come back to me. And God gave him another heart!

### The Need Is Great

The Canton Enterprise points to the importance of improving Haywood schools with an editorial under the above heading. The Mountaineer wants to add a loud amen to what The Enterprise said:

"The need for improving our schools throughout the county, is strongly emphasized in a report of the survey made a few days ago as to the sanitary conditions of the schools and facilities

"These conditions can be corrected only through the funds made available by school bonds which may be voted for on December 15, we are told. Therefore every voter should take advantage of the opportunity to cast his ballot for so great a need.

"The average voter, perhaps is not aware that such conditions exist in our county, and the facts set forth in the report released this week, are shocking to many. That each school will receive its proportionate share of the bond money has been assured, so no one should fail to cast his vote for the bond issue on the grounds that his school might not benefit from the fund.

"The major needs are listed on the report published today. After studying these conditions more carefully, surely the people of Haywood County will want to do their part in bringing about better conditions in all the

The lack of vision and faith have proven to be the downfall of many a nation (and

#### A Government Relief Problem

The most difficult problem connected with government relief is making the decision on who shall get government money and who shall not. The theory is, of course, that the money paid out under the public assistance laws shall go to people who really need it. Some people may need it because they have grown old, some because of illness, some because of blindness, some because they have became incapacitated and cannot work. Then there are the children for whom allotments of money are made under the Aid to Dependent Children law. t has been said that more unworthy claims are made and granted in this last category than in any other.

The root of the trouble in the administration of relief lies in the fact that many human beings are loafers and chislers. How large a part of the population answers to this description is a guess, and what the guess is depends upon the individual guesser's ideas about the goodness and badness of human nature. Anyway, it is certain that the number of recipients of government relief who ought not to be receiving it is large enough to account for the misuse of a tremendous amount of taxpayers' money.

The latest of many revelations of the reckless dishing out of relief money is contained in a series of reports in the Tulsa Tribune by an experienced investigator and reporter, Paul Molloy. In last week's Saturday Evening Post he had an article reviewing his investi-

"Public welfare financed by the taxpayer," he says, "is making Oklahoma a paradise for here, parasites." He visited and questioned recipients of relief in Tulsa and elsewhere in the state, and he found an appalling number of cases "aside from the legitimate cases the Aid to Dependent Children law was meant to serve." He found many men and women, not ill and not physically incapacitated, well able Green, Jr., of Asheville, to work if they wanted to, who were living off the allotments of public money that they received every week for so-called dependent atives. children.

The federal government allofs relief money to the states on a "matching" basis. To get a federal allotment a state must comply with all federal rules, and one of these rules is that no names of recipients of relief shall be made public. A considerable body of opinion regards this as wrong. Recently the Indiana legislature enacted a law requiring the publication of the names of recipients, but Washington has given notice that if the requirement is enforced the federal allotment to Indiana will be stopped.

Jenkin Lloyd Jones, editor of the Tulsa at his press conferences, he propriation committees. Finally, launches into river and stream de- one of his friends asked him why Tribune, in his comment on Mr. Molloy's re- velopment in North Carolina. He he talked to himself so much. ports, says:

has been talking a lot about the "The reason why the ADC program went sour is the secrecy that surrounds payments. stream for several months. Taxpayers are not permitted to know who gets their money. The federal government re- power companies to task for not fuses to pay its share of the grant if the names doing something about the Cape of recipients are made public, and this is an the Governor at this particular would injure no one; facts and figengraved invitation to grafters. We have conference to believe that the ures could be tossed around at made getting relief so easy that we are creat- Army Engineers had already rec- random; and he could daily listen ing a large class of professional paupers. As Cape Fear for flood control and long as the records remain hidden and the power production. citizen who is tapped for taxes cannot learn whether his neighbor has a hand in his pocbeing released because of pressure this at a later date ket, laziness and promiscuity will continue from Washington. He hinted dark- looks as if the Southern Confer- much to keep our spirits up during

-The Chapel Hill Weekly

Some people would try to place a monetary value on the educational life of children. Our greatest asset is far above any monetary little shocked at these statements. natorial talk . value.

#### MIRROR OF YOUR MIND By LAWRINGE COULD Consulting Psychologist



May insomnia be a form of self-punishment?

Answer: Decidedly, If you suffer from sleeplessness for other than physical reasons such as chronic pain, the basic fact is that are deliberately keeping yourself awake. There is no logicarreason except a desire to make yourself miserable for your dwelling on the fears and worries with which you prevent yourself from sleeping. If you did not unconsclously want or "need" to suffer, you could realize there is nothing you could do about these in the eniddle of the night, and put them out of your mind until morning. Recognize clearly enough that punishing yourself does no good to anybody, and insomnia will have few terrors for you.



Should prisoners be trained for

discharge? Answer: Yes, say William Mac-Dermott and Victor Ruderman of the Federal Correctional Institution, Danbury, Conn. At Danbury. selected inmates are assigned to a "pre-release unit" from 30 to 90 days before the time when they are due to be discharged. During this time supervision is relaxed, (Copyright, 1961, King Pentures Syndicate, Inc.)

#### considerable freedom of movement is permitted and the men's future adjustment in the outside. world is discussed with them. The plan has been operated for two

years with encouraging results. As the authors put it, "We cannot train men to live in society by segregating them from society."



May a neurosis keep you sane? Abswer: Strange as it may

seem, yes. The late, world-renowned psychiatrist, Dr. Paul Federn wrote: "The most important defense against schizophrenia is the neurosis," and warned that "no latent schizophrenic should be 'cured' of his neurosis, and he certainly should not be treated by the standard form of psychoanalysis." This is because a neurosis is a defense against reality and some patients would be "driven insane" if forced to face the unvarnished truth. It is neurotic, for instance, to believe that you can undo past wrongs by self-purishment, but this belief' may at least protect you from facing the fact that nothing can

de 11.14.

## WHY NOT LET HER DO THE CALLIN', JEDDY SHE'S DOIN' IT ANYWAY. LET HER CALL, AND 10! DON'T MIND HIM! E'S WRONG! THE GIRL HOULD BE ON THE MAN'S WE'LL JUST WALK THROUGH IT AGAIN SO EVERYBODY WILL GET IT LADIES, ON YOUR PARTNERS' RIGHT... HAVE SIX COUPLES-NOT THEY'LL ALL WIND FOUR .. I DON'T KNOW WHERE THEY GOT THIS CALLER.

## Looking Back Over The Years

15 YEARS AGO

J. F. Cabe leaves for special session of the legislature.

W. W. Card of Duke University at Duke alumni banquet

wood teachers with a supper in the Miss Virginia Ferguson, daugh-

Boosters Club entertains Hazel-

ter of General and Mrs. Harley Ferguson, is engaged to Otts

Miss Mary Pauline Plott spends the week-end in Charlotte with rel-

Several weeks ago he took the

But, said Governor Kerr Scott,

Now we have been provided with

of flood control on the Cape Fear.

but any effective control would

being covered with water permanently than it would be worth.

"Additional hydroelectric power

can be developed," says General

Chorpening, "but the unit cost

would be high and the market con-

ditions would not absorb the out-

River and its tributaries for naviga-

tion, either alone or in connection with power development, flood con-

tral or irrigation-or any combina-

tion thereof-is not deemed advis-

A LONG WAY-Evidently the

Governor was just warbling in his

statements a few weeks ago, for

the only unpublished report com-

pleted by the Army Engineers, ac-

cording to our information from

a proposed project in Western

North Carolina, Another report,

not yet ocmpleted, concerns a pro-

ject near Belhaven-which is a

far piece from Haw River or the

LARKIN ADVICE - Although

he Governor has no love for State

Senator John Larkin of Trenton

down in Jones County, he could

follow John's plan. Larkin, chair-

man of the Appropriations Commit-

tee in the 1951 Senate, had a habit of talking to himself a great deal

Cape Fear.

General Chorpening, is related to

able at the present time."

. . . In my opinion, Federal improvement of the Cape Fear

put for a number of years."

gineers, states there is some need court costs . . .

cost more in terms of farm land ferent coal seams.

ommended development of the to words of wisdom.

10 YEARS AGO

Haywood people are stunned by the Japanese attack on Pearl Har-

Albert Abel is elected Master of the Masonic Lodge.

Miss Ruth Burgin represents ation, Brevard College at the state-wide Students Council in Baleigh,

Robert McLean leaves for Tuscaloosa, Ala, to spend the Christmas holidays.

Felix Stovall returns from duck school All-State feam by the and goose hunting in Currituck. Greensboro Daily News,

smart man talk."

of the

dist Church

Winecoff in Atlanta

Grover C. Davis is re-elected

president of the county Bar Assci-

Nancy Jones is elected temporary

Tom Medford is named on high

JUST TALKING - When Gov- in the last Legislature, (An occupa-Scott runs out of hot items though disease of chairmen of Ap-"Well," replied Larkin, "there Cape Fear River, and flood con- are two reasons. In the first place about it? trol and power development on that I like to talk to a smart man. In

the second place. I like to hear a Now the Governor could-when real meaning of Christmas, But we he wants to sound off-just talk to must have a real desire for a himself. In that way, his statements change before something can be be done about it."

young, old, and needy are fine, but some of the others should be left NOTES-Prisons Chief Walter off our lists. Pleasure for others Anderson has struck his first snag should be in giving gifts."

ly that the State's Congressmen ence may split up, with Clemson the winter months. Christmas were causing the report to be held going with the Southeast and Mary- should be a time of doing someup because—as the Governor fur- land forming a new conference with thing for people who are really in ther suggested-the Congressmen Penn., Villanova, etc . . . Some of need." are elected by, and take their or- Bill Umstead's friends in the Asheders from, the power companies, ville area are said to be miffed at Mrs. Robert M. Boyd: "When I'm

Miss Evelyn Siler: "Christmas is speed limit . . . He said he was too commercial these days. When NO PRESSURE-No report has listening to WRAL's Fred Fletcher, we realize the true meaning of been held up by any pressure who is nephew of A.L. and son of Christmas, a change will, come whatever. Brigadier General C. H. A. J., and didn't notice his speed- about automatically. As it is today and makes them feel glad when it's all over."

Mrs. William T. Hannah: "After

# Voice People

By Jimmy Hatlo

In the last year or two people have begun to complain that Christmas today is "too commercial," and has gotten away from its original meaning at the celebration of the birthday of Christ, Do you think Christmas is too commercial, and. if so, what can or should be done

Mrs, Louise Stahl; "People as whole are getting away from the

Mrs. Lucy Jones: "Gifts for the

the Army Engineers report was not in his new position . . . More on

Although not given to surprise as Secertary of State Thad Eure for broke, I think Christmas is too regards the Governor, we were a muddying the water with guber- commercial; when I'm not; I don't A Raleigh resident was tried here last week for breaking the

Chorpening, assistant chief of En- ometer . . . Fletcher paid half the Christmas usually exhausts people, West Virginia has nearly 120 dif-



# Rambling 'Round

Bits Of Human Interest News-By Frances Gilbert Frazjer

Did you ever try tiny lace paper loflies to add to the attractiveness of your Christmas wrappings? You'd be astonished and delighted Add: 3 cups all purpose at the many ideas you can promote; and your packages will have an individuality that will call forth many to 1/4 inch thickness. City expressions of admiration.

Heard in passing: "Gee! I wish divorces didn't cost any han marriage licenses."

The clerk patiently went through the long list of names under the reducing heat when m letter "S" for the third time, "I'm to brown. Bake about 7 sorry, Mrs. S," she said desperately. each side but I don't seem to have any reservations for you," The lady look- toasted with butter or m ed a bit annoyed and said impatiently, "I'm sure it is there, I made the reservations two weeks ago and gave them my check." Then a hor- Combine rifled expression came over her face. "Oh my goodness," she exclaimed. "I'm so sorry, young lady, but I forgot that I have gotten marrled since then. Please look under the letter 'A'. That was the name Add: 1 package yeast Thoughts rushing madly along

like water cascading over rocks.

Bishop Edwin Hughes begins We wish to thank Mrs. H. B. Milseries of services at First Methoner for these two recipes for til firm and elastic, let Crumpets, They follow a different school of thought than the one re- out 1/4 inch thick on flow Fire traps many guests at Hotel cently published in this column.

CRUMPETS Makes ten or twelve muffins.

1 cup scalded milk

4 cup shortening 2 teaspoons salt 1 tablespoon light corn syrup

secretary-treasurer at a preliminary organization meeting of the Na-Cool to lukewarm tional Beta Club at Waynesville Add: 1 package yeast, compressed

softened in 14 warm water, Mix Mix until dough is we and soft. Roll out on flor

inch cutter, Place on bu which has been sprinkle tablespoons corn meal. of muffins with 2 tables meal. Let rise in warm to 85° F.) until light, ab-Bake on hot ungreass

Split cooled muffins Recipe Using Sugar Ir

cup scalded milk 3 tablespoons butter

2 tablespoons sugar 114 teaspoon salt been softened | lukewarm water

milk. Add 1 beate 2 cups of flour to Stir until well blend knead in 2 cups more of double in bulk, about 1 Cut into 4 inch circles, board, cover and let double in bulk, about When light sprinkle meal, if desired, and bake hot ungreased griddle abo utes on each side. To serving. Makes about 12

"It's later than you! and we aint foolin'.

## Letters To The Editor OUR SCHOOL BOND ISSUE

Editor The Mountaineer:

We, as democratic citizens of America, should have well educated people to run our government. Unless we have, then the govern-ment will not be run in the right way. We also need to have educated people to vote. If they are not educated, they will not know what hey are voting for.

In order to have educated peo

paying high prices during Christmas time, people are usually flat the giraffe family had a

ple, we need to have so the proper facilities. If the school bond issu-

ed next Saturday, the in a little higher, but if the of Haywood county are t to make this investment children, what can they the future generation?

Member the 7th grade Junior High School

broke. And taxes come right after neck and was less than 6 is at the shoulder.

## MARCH OF EVENTS HST Could Defeat 1

President May Keep Mum On Candidacy Until 1952

He Thinks-But Gen

Special to Central Press

WASHINGTON-Don't look for President Truman to ann his candidacy for re-election until well into 1952-possible before the Democratic convention in July. Political experts say are increasing indications that Mr. Truman will run again, but don't expect him to say so until April or May, at the earliest. Some say the President's strategy apparently is to keep num he finds out what Gen. Dwight D. Elsenhor

going to do. This strategy also partly blocks crat plans for a revolt within the Demo The avowed candidacy of Ohio's Senator I A. Taft for the GOP nomination increase

chances that Mr. Truman will run again. President has made it clear he would welco race against Taft. While Mr. Truman is confident he would

Taft, his views toward Eisenhower as a date may be somewhat different. For that I he's probably going to adopt a wait-and-see

O DEFENSE SLOWDOWN-Word is passed around in official circles that there is nite slowdown in production of tanks, planes and other wesper reason given is that the military wants more work done to

the "bugs" from the latest models, and therefore is not will freeze models at their present stage of development, for large This is said to be in contrast with the attitude of the m when United Nations forces in Korea were threatened with to

feat. Then the military wanted models frozen, and ordered an production to supply deficiencies at once. Now the feeling is that the world for the present will have a ing spell. Although tensions still exist no general war is antic

for at least the next nine months. Nevertheless, some civilian officials aren't so sure-and are ing for definite decisions on models and production.

MORE DOLLAR TROUBLES-Conservative estimates are England and France will soon be looking to Uncle Sam for \$3 billion to keep their home economies from floundering. T quests, of course, will not be put as bluntly as that.

It is anticipated that the two overseas governments will make the two overseas governments will make the two overseas governments.

demands on grounds that it's all to the good of the Western and that it will aid in the fight against Communism. The Churchill government is expected to ask about \$2 billion

while France is said to be in need of about \$1 billion for impor If the United States grants the dollars - and there is every tion that this will be the case—they will be in addition to, and

rate from the military billions already ear-marked for W TRUMAN AND WASHINGTON-President Truman recent littled George Washington's feat of tossing a coin across the hannock river—and all but called the Father of His Country a tight wad. Mr. Truman's remarks-all in

fun-were made to a group of cartoonists who volunteered to help the government sell more defense The President pointed out that many people think Washington threw a silver dollar across the Potomac. In reality Truman said, it was a Spanish piece of eight, and it was

across the Rappahannock.

The President added with a sly grin and a twinkle in his tyou to down there and take a look at the place where Washi you to down there and take a look at the place where Washi lived any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place any 10-year-old boy could throw a dime across that place are across throw a dimension across th bits, would ever let loose that Spanish piece of gight.